



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

PATENT  
APPLICATION

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Inventor(s): RIETHMULLER-WINZEN et al.

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Examiner.: S. HUI

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Filed: September 20, 2000

Title: METHOD FOR THE THERAPEUTIC MANAGEMENT OF  
EXTRAUTERINE PROLIFERATION OF ENDOMETRIAL  
TISSUE, CHRONIC PELVIC PAN AND FALLOPIAN TUBE  
OBSTRUCTION

Date: October 3, 2002

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2. ☐ **BRIEF** on appeal in this application attached in triplicate (extendable up to 5 months).
3. ☐ An **ORAL HEARING** is respectfully requested under Rule 194 (due two months after Examiner's Answer- unextendable)
4. ☐ Reply Brief is attached in triplicate (due two months after Examiner's Answer - unextendable).
5. ☐ "Small entity" statement filed: ☐ herewith. ☐ previously.
6. ☐ Fee **NOT** required because paid in prior appeal in which the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences did not render a decision on the merits (35 USC 134).

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